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In Re Continuation Application of )  
Chen, et al. ) For: Method and Apparatus for  
Serial No. Unknown ) Controlling Transmission  
Filed: Herewith ) Power in a Potentially  
Transmission Gated or Capped  
Communication System  
Group Art Unit: 2663

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Asst. Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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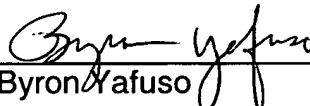
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Respectfully submitted,

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